Kathy O'Brien

FHA Girl of the Month

Kathy O'Brien was chosen as girl of the month for February. Kathy has served on the following committees: Welfare, Homecoming Float, F H A Week, Vocational Education Week, and Degrees Committee.

She modeled in the Fashion Show at the Five County Fair. She ran for Miss FHA where she won second place. She visited the Miller Home and the Baptist Hospital. Kathy also attended the Skating Party and collected door prizes for the party.

Kathy sold cookbooks, knives and flavoring in order to help her chapter raise money. She has participated in several bake sales, helping the Welfare Committee.

She is presently serving as Federation Secretary. Kathy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. O'Brien of Appomattox.

Hollywood

Rev. W. H. Elder brought us a wonderful message Sunday morning at Hollywood. This was his last service as our interm pastor. We will miss him, but we wish for him and his family the best of luck in the future and may God's blessing be with them.

Rev. Paul Balthaser of Palmer, Va. has accepted a call as pastor of the Central and Hollywood field of churches and will take charge the first of March.

Mrs. Ioan Mayberry and Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Mayberry, of Newport News, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and family. Mrs. Ioan Mayberry is spending some time in this home.

We are very sorry Mrs. R. M. Webb is on the sick list. We pray she may soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baldwin visited Mrs. Baldwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jenkins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Gilliam of Farmville, spent last week with Mrs. W. T. Covington and visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence.

Rev. and Mrs. Carlton Smith and family of North Carolina, spent the week end with Rev. and Mrs. Otis Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith and family visited in this home also during the week end.

Supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Basil King and family of Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Woodall of Lynchburg, were supper guest Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and family. They also visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and family, Mrs. Mary Bagby, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Woodall.

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MOLLY VEGETABLE OR VEG. BEEF SOUP 2 1-lb. 3-oz. CANS $1.00
KEN-L-RATION 15½-oz. Dog FOOD 6 CANS $1.39
CLOROX BLEACH GAL. 73¢
BLUE RIBBON BEER 6 12-oz. Bot. Ctns. $1.29
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Lions Club To Sponsor "New Virginians"

The NEW VIRGINIANS, Virginia Tech's new entertainment show troupe, will perform at 8 p.m. on April 5, 1975, at the Appomattox County High School.

Presented as a BiCentennial event by the Appomattox Lions Club, the 8 p.m. performance will involve 20 singers, a 10-piece stage band, and a new kind of two hour vocal and instrumental adventure in music. Their program will include the old favorites, the top forty, easy listening, and even some country. And all will be done by students who practice the art of "possibility thinking".

The NEW VIRGINIANS are unique. They are probably the only musical students in the country to regularly get together with their director to talk mainly about attitudes before going on to perform.

The director is Stan Kingma, a former mechanical engineer who found music more exciting than engineering. And the reputation that Kingma has established during his last ten years in music is impressive proof that his brand of musical fun can be contagious.

Last summer Kingma came upon a book called "Move Ahead with Possibility Thinking," by Robert Schuller.

The book impressed Kingma to the extent that he sent all members of the group a copy.

Thus, he says, "We spend a great deal of time talking about our attitude before we begin performing to make sure that we are all moving in the same direction."

"Unique" is always a chancy word to apply to anything. But Kingma applies it freely to the NEW VIRGINIANS. This emphasis on attitudes before performance, "is kind of unique in the field of music".

Whether "possibility thinking" is the total reason or not, Kingma and The NEW VIRGINIANS have created a new kind of show business --- brassy, sad, happy, lively, sometimes nostalgic and a very moving thing to see and hear.

Tickets will be available from members of the Appomattox Lions Club and can be purchased for $2.50 for adults and $1.50 for High School students and under.

Although THE NEW VIRGINIANS do not "wing it" on stage, the performances are never rigidly pre-planned.

How much easy-listening or choral or country depends on what Kingma and the 30 young people in red, white and blue costumes sense as the mood of the audience.

"We want the concert to match the mood and taste of each audience," says Kingma, "so we put together the content of each performance as we move through the evening, responsive to the audience reaction."

The NEW VIRGINIANS, growing from the old Virginia Tech glee club to a glittering type of entertainment which puts the girls in hip-huggers and the boys in jump suits, is an all volunteer outfit which means singing not for profit but for the joy of it.

And, as Kingma stresses from time to time, not everyone who walks in and wants to perform becomes a member of The NEW VIRGINIANS. He is likely to stress that auditions are tough, not a matter of form. Over 160 students auditioned for fifteen positions in the group this season.

"We don't present musical programs," Kingma says. "We entertain by sharing our music with others. These kids perform for the joy of performing and for the fun they have. They generate a kind of contagious excitement wherever they go."

The NEW VIRGINIANS play some tough audiences and this "contagious excitement" rubs off.

A case in point is the annual Governor's Day weekend at Tech at which The NEW VIRGINIANS perform for legislators and newsmen whose duties do not generally include artistic comment. Or the National 4-H Congress in the Chicago Conrad Hilton, or the National Conference of the State Bank Supervisors in Williamsburg --- audiences that expect, and receive a unique kind of professional show.

This year, THE NEW VIRGINIANS will play dates all across Virginia in a concert season that includes over 45 separate performances.

The NEW VIRGINIANS travel with an impressive amount of support equipment.

The group now owns a 28-foot moving van to carry its professional production equipment, amplification system, contemporary stage lighting and support equipment. Four technicians will travel with the group to support the show and install and run the equipment.

And the performers carry along, in themselves, a great amount of "possibility thinking" and the joy of music.

Correction Noted In Officers-Directors At Farmers Bank

Through error, the **Times-Virginian** listed a number of the newly elected officers and directors at the Farmers National Bank incorrectly.

T. DeWitt Evans, Executive Vice President was elected President; Roger Redman was elected member of the Board of Directors; William Hunter, Cashier was elected Vice President and Cashier; and the names of two Assistant Cashiers was omitted. They were Patsy S. Harvey and Loretta D. Layne.

We regret the error.

Commissioner of Revenue Office Closed Saturdays

John Curtis Caldwell, Commissioner of Revenue, has announced that his office will not be opened on Saturday mornings as previously announced. The Commissioner of Revenue's Office has been opened for the past three Saturday mornings, but due to lack of patronage of taxpayers requiring assistance with their income tax returns, Mr. Caldwell feels that there is no necessity for his office remaining open on Saturdays.

To Seek Supervisor's Seat

Dr. S. R. "Bob" Lawson has officially announced that he will seek election to the Board of Supervisors of Appomattox County, subject to the general election to be held on the fourth day of November, 1975, representing the Southside Magisterial District of the County, the post now being held by John C. Cole.

In making his announcement, Dr. Lawson said "after much thought and careful consideration on my part, and with much offers of support from many citizens and voters in the Southside District of Appomattox County, I have decided to offer myself as a candidate for supervisor from the Southside District, subject to the general election on Tuesday, November 4, 1975.

"To those citizens from all over the county who have shown concern, urging me to run for this office, I can only pledge that if elected I will work hard for every citizen of our county, that I might earn your trust and respect in carrying out the duties that this position requires."

A native of Appomattox County, Lawson is a graduate of Appomattox High School, attended Lynchburg College and Medical College of Virginia, School of Dentistry. He began his dental practice here in Appomattox 19 years ago.

He has served as a member of the Town Council for a two year term and served as Mayor of the Town of Appomattox for two two-year terms.

Schools To Close Friday - Teachers To Hold Workshop

Students will not attend school in Appomattox County on Friday, March 7, as this day has been set for a teacher workday.

The instructional staff of the Appomattox County Schools has been engaged in a highly structured program of inservice activities during the 1974-75 session. Planning of workshops and selection of consultants have been carried out by instructional department chairmen, principals, assistant principals and School Board Office personnel.

More than thirty resource persons have been invited to the county for the purpose of meeting with secondary and elementary departments. These are chiefly State Department of Education personnel, with others being from textbook companies, the Educational Television station, colleges, and other school divisions. The county has had representation at all instructional conferences sponsored by the State Department of Education in the various subject fields. Locally established conference guidelines provide for the participants to meet with other department members in order that information may be disseminated.

Workdays scheduled for the 1974-75 session have given time for instructional department meetings. Teachers will be engaged in one of these meetings on Friday, March 7. The program for that day includes the following:

Department Art and Music - Visit to Chesterfield County Schools.

Department: English and Foreign Language Topic: Textbook Ad option/Curriculum Guide - Leader: Mrs. Harriett Beasley, ACHS

Department: Grades K-2 - Topic: Swap Shop - Discussion Leader: Mrs. Henrietta Johnson.

Department: Grades 3-4, Topic: Mathematics Teaching Techniques - Discussion Leader: Mrs. Luella Coleman.

Department: Grades 5-6 - Topic: Conference Ideas and Reports - Discussion Leader: Mrs. Nancy Dickerson.

Guidance Coordination of Guidance Services AMS and ACHS - Mrs. Rolling Carter, AMS.

Library - Standards in Liberty Services - Mrs. Judy

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'Stop Smoking' Clinic To Begin

A "Stop Smoking" Clinic will get underway Sunday, March 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Appomattox County Rescue Squad Building in Appomattox.

R. H. Brodersen, who will lead the group in the therapy programs, says that more than ten million have quit smoking through the help of these programs. Mr. Brodersen has successfully conducted these sessions not only in the United States, but as far away as Hong Kong and Taiwan.

Last week he held a very successful clinic at Longwood College in Farmville. Only one of the participants had not quit smoking by the end of the five-day-plan. He expects all those who quit will continue to stay off smoking, but usually approximately 80% will never take up smoking again.

This week, Mr. Brodersen is holding a clinic at the E. C. Glass High School in Lynchburg. More than one hundred are in attendance.

The clinic is FREE, and is a community service sponsored by the Seventh-Day Adventist Church. The plan aims to help improve the health of the community and contribute to national physical fitness.

The film "Countdown" depicting the results of persistent cigarette smoking will be shown Sunday night. On Monday night, it will be the film, "I'm Sorry, Baby".

The public is cordially invited to come and participate.

School Board Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Appomattox County School Board is scheduled Thurs., Mar. 13, 1975 at 3 p.m. in the Board Room of the School Board office. Among a number of items on the agenda, the Board will consider the School Division budget for 1975-76 and a project to improve the physical facilities of the Appomattox Middle School.

Golf Tournament Set At FRCC

The Falling River Country Club will hold its first tournament of the season, the Member-Member event, on April 19 and 20, 1975.

Members desiring to play in this event may register at the club house and indicate whether they wish to play in the morning or afternoon on Saturday, April 19th, with flights determining the "tee off" time for play on Sunday.

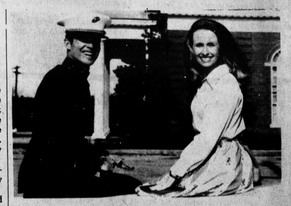
Registration will close April 14 or sooner should the sixty-couple sign up be completed at an earlier date.

Entry fee will be four dollars (4.00) per member and tournament play is open to all members 16 years old and over. Carts must be reserved in advance.

Ties for first place in any flight will result in actual play off. In the event of a tie in second and third place, matched cards will be used starting with the first hole on the last day of play.

All qualifying scores count- no throw outs.

Members are asked to register early and let's look forward to a nice time. Suggestions for improvements will be appreciated by the Golf Activities Committee.



Mr. and Mrs. Clebe McClary

Deanna is the former "Miss Florence, South Carolina"

To Speak At Meeting Of The Baptist Association

When the Appomattox Baptist Association meets on Wednesday, March 12th, at 7:30 p.m. at Liberty Baptist Church, Clebe McClary, nationally known evangelistic speaker will bring the message, according to Ralph Reynolds, Chairman of the Evangelistic Committee of the Association.

You may have seen and heard Clebe give his testimony on the Billy Graham Crusade in California. He also is a regular speaker in all of Bob Harrington "Chaplain of Bourbon Street" Crusades and was with him during the Knoxville City Wide Crusade. He travels also with the Rev. Bill Glass, former professional Football Player, turned Evangelist.

Clebe was a high school, coach and was getting ready to accept a coaching position with the University of South Carolina, and after much soul searching he felt that he had not done enough for his country, and decided instead to enlist in the U. S. Marine Corps.

While on his 19th recon patrol and the longest he had his men were attacked and he was seriously wounded on March 3, 1968. He lost an eye, an arm, two-thirds of his teeth, had 21 operations and plastic surgery was required to build back his face and nose. As a result of his bravery while under fire and his concern that he showed for his men, while he himself was wounded, he was presented the Bronze and Silver Stars by the President of the United States.

Clebe is presently active in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Teen Crusade. He is Youth Director of Georgetown County, South Carolina.

Would you expect a man who has lost an eye, an arm, and who has just partial use of his other arm and legs to SMILE? YES!!! Because he was saved at a revival meeting after hearing Bobby Richardson of the New York Yankees, Vonda Kaye Van Dyke, Former Miss America, give their testimonies and Billy Zeoli speak on the subject "What Kind of Fool Are You? - A Fool For Christ or a Fool For Others. It was on this night that Clebe and his lovely wife committed their lives to Jesus.

The public is invited to share in Appomattox Baptist Association meeting. Clebe McClary will bring a message you will not want to miss.

A committee meeting was held last Thursday at the Parkway Restaurant to make final plans for the "kick-off" for the Red Cross Fund Drive for Appomattox County.

Attending the meeting and shown above, from the left, were Rev. Earnie W. Lucas, Chairman of the Blood Program; Rev. Cecil Dalton, Chairman; Lloyd Walton, Chairman of the Fund Program; Marcia Minor of the Roanoke office; Mrs. Virginia Doss, Treasurer; and Mrs. Dorothy Stevens, Secretary.

Support Your Red Cross

The American Red Cross Blood Program celebrated its 25th anniversary last year by collecting, processing and distributing more blood and blood products for the treatment of the ill and injured than in any other 12-month period in its history," it was announced today by Rev. Cecil Dalton, chairman of the Appomattox chapter.

"Blood collections for the 1972-73 fiscal year topped 3.8 million units, an increase of seven percent over the previous year, and enabled the Red Cross to make available to hospitals and physicians more than 5,624,176 transfusible units of blood components and derivatives," Mr Dalton said.

"Here in Appomattox County, the Red Cross provided 449 units of blood components or derivatives to 38 hospitals during the last fiscal year," he said. The local chapter participates in the program through the Red Cross Regional Blood Center in Roanoke.

The national blood policy, he explained, matched closely the essentials of the statement adopted by the Red Cross Board of Governors in February 1972, which called for a more uniform system for blood collection, more complete federal regulation of blood banks and processing centers, and for cooperative efforts by all blood collecting organizations to work toward a national nonprofit blood service. Such a service would ensure a continuing supply of safe blood from volunteer donors for those who need it.

Since the founding of the Red Cross Blood Program in 1948, Rev. Dalton added, the organization has collected, processed and distributed 65,198,753 units of blood. Today, the Red Cross program operates through 58 regional centers, covering 1,724 participating ARC chapters, serving a total population of 128,654,642 persons, and providing blood and blood products to 4,277 hospitals and blood facilities throughout the nation.

"For this service and others to continue, Red Cross needs the support and assistance of every citizen," said Lloyd Walton, March Fund Red Cross Finance chairman. Will you help Appomattox County meet its fund campaign goal of $2,315? A volunteer worker will contact you during this month and ask you to contribute to the Red Cross Fund Campaign. You may also make your contribution by mailing a check to Mrs. Virginia Gulll Doss, Appomattox, Va. 24522. Make your check payable to American Red Cross, Appomattox Chapter.